The Bombay Gazette

No. 11527 NEW SERIES. BOMBAY:—TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1885.

SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM TO ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, AND MARSEILLES.

PROGRAMME OF DEPARTURES.

Vessels.	Tons	H. P.	Captains.	FRIDAY 1885.
M. ROME	5013	1000	G. F. Cates	13th Nov.
L. CLYDE	4121	500	E. M. Edmond	20th "
GWALIOR	2753	500	P. Harris	27th "
L. HYDASPES	2284	500	G. Scrivener	4th Dec.
M. PARRAMATTA	4759	900	W. D. Anderson	11th "
L. ANCONA	3128	600	R. G. Murray	18th "
NIZAM	2726	500	W. J. Webber	25th "

The steamers marked L proceed direct to London via Malta and those marked M via Marseilles. By the latter passengers for London change vessels at Suez. All London steamers call at Plymouth.

A steam-barge will leave the Company's Dockyard, Mazagon, at 5 p. m., on the day of sailing to convey passengers on board.

STEAM TO COLOMBO, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, AND AUSTRALIA.

Vessels	Tons. H.P.	Captains.	On 1885
MIRZAPORE	3887 600	R. Harvey	13th Nov.
CATHAY	3253 500	J. P. Hassall	27th "
NEPAUL	3336 600	T. J. Alderton	11th Dec.

Return Tickets are now issued at greatly reduced rates to all ports, for particulars of which apply to

G. F. JOHNSON,
Acting Superintendent & O. S. N. Company.

Bombay, October 14, 1885.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

BRINDISI ROUTE.

THROUGH TICKETS from BOMBAY to LONDON via Brindisi, including the Continental Railway Fare, are now issued on favorable terms; and return tickets available for three and six months. Tickets can also be obtained which allow passengers to travel 1st class by the steamer and 2nd class by rail from Brindisi to London.

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STEAMERS leave BOMBAY for MARSEILLES and LONDON direct every four weeks (see general advertisement), and the voyage to the former port is accomplished in 19 days in fair weather (21 days during the Monsoon). The Railway journey from Marseilles to London occupies about 77 hours.

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Bombay, March 27, 1885.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA

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THE Regular Mail-steamers leave BOMBAY on the 1st of each month at noon, calling at ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, NAPLES, GENOA, and MARSEILLES, starting from GENOA on the 26th of every month for BOMBAY.

FARE to all Ports of Italy Rs. 350, Rs. 280, Rs. 150, for First, Second, and Third Class, respectively, inclusive of Wine. Infants are allowed free. Children over three and under twelve years half fare. Families will be allowed liberal discount. To Marseilles Rs. 20, 15, and 5 extra, for First, Second, and Third Class, respectively.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered LONDON, FREE OF CHARGE, to the extent allowed in the steamers.

A discount of 35, 20, and 10 per cent. is allowed Passengers returning within three, six, and twelve months respectively, from the date of LANDING.

The following or other First Class Steamers will leave Bombay:—

	Tons. H.P.	
DOMENICO BALDUINO (late China)	5,000 850	1st Dec. 1885
RAFFAELE RUBATTINO	5,00 850	1st Jan. 1886
MANILLA	5,000 850	1st Feb. 1886

Steam Launch leaves Apollo Bunder between 10 and 11 a.m. on the day of Sailing, with Passengers and their Baggage.

Through Railway Tickets available for 17 days to London via Calais or Brighton, both from Genoa and Naples, are issued here.

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F. BOZZONI,
Agent.

Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, Nov. 3, 1885.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S S. N. Co.

REGULAR LINE OF STEAMERS BETWEEN BOMBAY, BRINDISI, AND TRIESTE, VIA CANAL.

Steamers.	Captains	Tons. H. P.	To sail 1885
PANDORA	G. Mettel	3,500 550	2nd Dec. 1885.
AMPHITRITE	C. Lazzarich	4,500 600	2nd Jan.
TITANIA	G. Doncich	4,100 600	2nd Feb.

A Surgeon and Stewardess on board of every Steamer.

RATES OF PASSAGE MONEY.

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Deck
TRIESTE OR BRINDISI	Rs. 500	Rs. 300	Rs. 130

RETURN TICKETS are now issued available for SIX MONTHS at the following rates:—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.
TRIESTE OR BRINDISI	Rs. 800	Rs. 480

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STEAM TO COLOMBO, PENANG, SINGAPORE AND HONGKONG.

Steamer.	Captain.	Tons. H.P.	To sail 1885.
TITANIA	G. Doncich	4,100 600	29th Nov.

STEAM TO COLOMBO AND CALCUTTA.

Steamer.	Captain.	Tons. H.P.	To sail 1885.
BERENICE	G. B. Verona	3,500 550	12th Nov.

No Cargo will be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

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O. VON HOFFER,
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Sassoon House, 50, Church-gate-street, Bombay.

Nov. 4, 1885.

CLAN LINE OF STEAMERS.

THE following sailings have been arranged:—

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

Steamers.	Tons.	Comdrs.	About 1885.
*CLAN MACDONALD	2,650	Wm. Miller	13th Nov.
" MUNROE	2,200	R. H. Betteley	23rd "
" CAMERON	2,450	F. Ereaut	3rd Dec.
" BUCHANAN	2,200	H. T. Maypee	13th "
" GRAHAM	2,950	C. Alexanderson	23rd "
" MACKENZIE	2,950	Wm. Elliott	4th Jan. 1885

* These steamers do not carry passengers.

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Bombay, 15th October, 1885.

HALL LINE OF STEAMERS. BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL DIRECT.

THE following Sailings have been arranged:—

	Capt.	Tons H.P.	On or about
S.S. MEIGTON HALL	Barnes	4,100 500	12th Nov. 1885
S.S. RYDAL HALL	Brock	2,700 400	25th "
S.S. WERNETH HALL	T. Collin	4,100 500	26th Dec. "

Each Steamer carries a Surgeon and Stewardess.

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Bombay, 6th Oct. 1885

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1. Specification and Conditions of Contract can be seen, and forms of Tenders and all necessary information obtained on application at the Bombay Defences Office, Fort, during office hours.

2. Tenders which should be sealed will be received by the undersigned up to 12 noon on the 16th November, 1885, when they will be opened.

3. The amount of earnest money required to accompany the Tender is Rs. 350, and the amount of deposit required in the case of the accepted Tender is 5 per cent. on the tendered amount.

4. The acceptance of the Tender rests with the Superintending Engineer, Northern Division.

5. Authority is reserved to reject any or all of the Tenders received.

W. MERRIMAN, Bt.-Col., R. E.
Executive Engineer, Bombay Defences.

Bombay Defences Office, Fort, 4th November, 1885.

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S. S. "BURMAH," 1,081 tons, on FRIDAY, 13th November, at 11 a.m., calling at Veraval, Mangarole, Porebunder, and Cutch Mandvie, weather permitting.

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Bombay, 9th November, 1885. Agents.

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G. F. BRYANT, Lt.-Colonel,
2nd D. C. O. Beloooch Regt.
President Committee of Adjustment.

Hderabad (Sind), 1st November, 1885.

THE BHOWNUGGER COTTON MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given, that between 2 p. m. and 3 p. m. on WEDNESDAY, the 18th day of November 1885, at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 7, Hummum Street, Bombay, has been fixed by the Chairman of the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of this Company, held on the 26th day of October 1885, and adjourned to the 31st day of October 1885, as the TIME and PLACE for TAKING the POLL which was demanded at the said Extraordinary General Meeting upon the following Resolution:—

"1. That the Liquidators be and they are hereby "empowered to do all acts and exercise all powers "comprised in Sections 101 and 202 of the Indian Com- "panies' Act 18-2."

Notice is hereby also given, that an EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders in the said Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 7, Hummum Street, Bombay, on WEDNESDAY, the 18th day of November, 1885, at 3 o'clock p. m., to confirm the following Resolution which was passed at the said Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the said Company held on the 26th day of October, 1885 and adjourned to the 31st day of October 1885, viz.

"1. That the Bhownugger Cotton Manufacturing "Company, Limited, be wound up voluntarily under "the provisions of the Indian Companies' Act 1882."

And also to pass the following Resolution:—

"That every power which could be exercised by "the Liquidators jointly shall or may in the case of "the absence at any time from Bombay of one or more "of the Liquidators be exercised by any three or more "of the Liquidators for the time being present in "Bombay without the consent or concurrence of the "Liquidator or Liquidators, who may at such time be "absent from Bombay as aforesaid."

By Order of the Directors,
R. HYDE CHEETHAM & Co.,
Secretaries, Bhowanggur Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.
No. 7, Hummum Street, Bombay, November 5, 1885.

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2 Pianoforte ...La Cascade Morceau de Concert.....Lange. Maestro Menesini.
3 Polaka.....J. Lombardi.....Verdi. Signorina Marchetti.

INTERVAL OF TEN MINUTES.

4 Cavatina .....Betly.....Donizetti. Signorina Marchetti.
5 Pianoforte ...Fantasia Rigoletto.....S. Smith. Maestro Menesini.
6 Romanza .. Lucrezia Borgia.....Donizetti. Signorina Marchetti.
7 Pianoforte ...J. Militaire Valse Brillant..Menesini. Maestro Menesini.
8 Cavatina .....Juramento.....Gastanbide. Signorina Marchetti.

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Public Analyst to the City of Glasgow.
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THE INDIA

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

MONDAY EVENING, Nov. 9.

BUSINESS has re-opened to-day after the Dewalee holiday, without any evidence of distinct improvement.

In Piece-goods the dealers report a fair movement, as the result of the usual New Year bargains, but in every other direction great dulness still prevails, the home advices affording no encouragement to the development of trade.

From London Reuter's telegrams received since Thursday last have reported few alterations, Consols are ⅛ higher at 100⅛, which in the face of the unsettled condition of the country on the eve of a general election and the aspect of affairs in Eastern Europe is to some extent reassuring. In the other Stock Exchange quotations no alteration has taken place.

In General Produce continued depression is still advised from home. Linseed has declined 6d. per quarter in Calcutta, 1s. in Bombay quality, Rapeseed is 6d. lower. Wheat unchanged as regards price, but private reports say very difficult of sale.

Cotton in Liverpool, in view of increased receipts at the American ports, has become more depressed than ever. Spot prices have given way 1-16d. for fine Omra and Good ginned Dharwar and Americans to arrive are quoted 3-64d. to 1-16d. lower. In New York, too, ready Cotton has declined 1-16 cent, futures 8 points, the respective quotations being now 9 5-16 cents and 10-55 cents per lb. For the sake of reference we give our usual comparitive statement of the statistical position.

The total visible supply of Cotton for all Europe on the 6th inst. affords the following comparisons with the two previous years :—

	1885.	1884.	1883.
Total supply of all kinds.....	2,020,000	2,176,000	2,391,820
" " Surats.....	141,000	417,520	328,050
For the United Kingdom only the figures are—			
Stock in Liverpool.....	383,000	437,150	438,420
" London "	20,000	58,000	42,000
American afloat	130,000	196,000	161,000
East Indian "	8,000	19,000	55,000
	591,000	710,150	696,420
Price of Mid-Uplands.....	5 3-16d.	5d.	5 15-16d.
" Good Fair Dhollera ...	4 7-16d.	4 3-16d.	4d.
Difference....	¼d.	1 5-16d.	1 11-16d.

The American Crop figures to date give the following comparisons with the two previous seasons :—

	1885.	1884.	1883.
Week's receipts	274,000	256,000	267,000
" exports to U. K. ..	80,000	81,000	88,000
" Cont. ..	74,000	80,00	50,000
Total receipt since 1st Sept. ..	1,659,000	1,684,800	1,723,000
" Exports to U. K. " ..	446,000	510,000	338,000
" Cont. ..	372,000	309,000	413,000
" Stock in the Ports	690,000	750,000	852,000
Saturday's Receipts	29,000	32,000	31,000

The tenour of the home telegrams received during the holidays quite checked anything in the shape of Dewalee bargains. Some few odd and end transactions have no doubt taken place, but nothing like the general buying which we have seen in previous years. The cause of the dulness is not difficult to trace in the difference between the rates obtainable at home and first cost here. The following, for instance, are C and F prices obtainable on the Continent, with their net equivalents in rupees, against which we give to-day's market quotations :—

	C&F equit.	Rupee equiv.	Market rate.
Good Bengals, November shipt. ...	3½	= Rs. 155	Rs. 163
Good Omras, Feb.-March " ...	4¼	= Rs. 180	Rs. 183
Fine Broach, " " ...	4 15-16	= Rs. 208	Rs 213

Sellers will not be rendered more willing to do business by the news of rain in from the districts to-day. From Dhandhooka and Dhollera only light showers are reported, which will rather benefit the plants than otherwise, but the fall in the Berars has been heavier, two inches being reported from Khamgaum. This may not have any serious effect on the quantity, but the quality of what is now being picked will be considerably deteriorated, and supplies will be delayed by the state of the roads and the stoppage of the gins.

In WHEAT extreme dulness governs the market. Prices are annas 4 to annas 8 per candy lower, and freights have gone in favour of shippers, but the margin is still the wrong way on simultaneous business.

SEEDS are dull and inactive, with prices tending lower.

FREIGHTS display an utter want of activity. The Clan Munro is reported to have been fixed by native speculators for London, this month's loading, at 20s. old scale, but for Liverpool we cannot quote better than 17s. 6d., and for forward chartering while owners continue to ask 25s., shippers are only offering 22s. 6d. per ton. Current quotations are :—

	Ready.	Forward.
Liverpool	17-6	17-6 nom.
London	18-0	20 to 22-6
Continent		
Open Charter		
Cargo	20 to 22-6	22-6 to 25
Bunkers		
Antwerp		
Marseilles		
Japan	25 to 35 at 28.	

EXCHANGE.—The news respecting the Latin Monetary Convention having been practically anticipated, has had no effect here to-day. In the morning we opened with perhaps a steadier feeling, and one bank did business for demand at 1s. 6 3-16d. ready, 1s. 6 1-32d. for January, and 1s. 6¼d. for February delivery; but these rates were not obtainable at the close, although the banks were naming T.-32d. bighes for Credits. This advance, again, was more apparent than real, as 1s. 6¼d. is said to have been done for many bills, delivery up to 15th January. As the case, the tone is quiet at the following quotations :—

	per rupee.
Bank Bills on demand ..... Rs 53-32d.	
Do. Telegraphic ..... 15 32d.	"
Do. Three months' sight. 1s. 6¼	"
Credits " " 1s. 6¼	"
France " " 1 94	"

The Bank of Bombay return for the week ending on the 4th instant shows the following changes :—

Public Deposits at H. Office Dec		Rs. 10,47,055
Other Deposits	Branches Dec.....	" 23,95,311
Government Securities	Dec.....	" 23,95,984
Loans	Dec.....	" 1,44,982
Bills Discounted	Inc.....	" 5,51,689
Cash with other Banks	Dec.....	" 21,711
Cash in Currency Notes	Dec.....	" 35,72,826

Of the 35¾ lakhs decrease in the Cash Balance only 30 lakhs are owing to trade requirements, and these, we are inclined to think, will be found to have been more due to holiday preparations than to actual business wants, which are yet extremely limited.

GOVERNMENT PAPER is practically unchanged since Thursday, Fours ready being still quoted at Rs. 97¾, and for delivery at Rs. 97 1-16. Fours-and-a-half are nominal at Rs. 99.

SHARES.—Nothing much in the way of business has been doing yet to-day, and as a general rule rates are unaltered. In Spinning and Weaving Companies the tone is steadier if anything, with an occasional rise of Rs. 5. Bombay-Burmah Trading Co.'s shares have improved to Rs. 3,825 first issue.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LISTS.

BANKS.

	Shares.	Amt.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash. Rate.
		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
INDIAN BANKS.					720
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	all	5 p.ct.	815
Bank of Bengal	42,000	500	all	10 do.	820x
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	all	5 do.	587½
EXCHANGE BANKS.		£	£		
Agra Bank	16,000	100	all	6 do.	120
Hong. and Shang. B. Corporation	60,000	$125	all	17½ do.	458
National Bank of India	37,330	250		5 pct.	106

PRESS COMPANIES.

Arbar Coston	200	1,000	500	Rs. 50	900
Akola Prss Co.	1,000	500	500	Rs. 50	45
Albert (Simla) Co.	100	500	500	Rs. 45	220
Albert Press Co., Kurrachee	220	1,100	1,100	Rs. 175	11.10xd
Apollo Press Co. (small shares)	750	400	400	Rs. 2	300
Bellary	620	1,000	1,000	Rs. 25	540
Brett's Caxmpore P. Co., Ld.	500	200	200	Rs. 16	150
Bombay Cotton Press.	1,000	125	125		195
Colaba Press Co.	500	1,880	1,880	Rs. 600	750
Dholera P. & G. Co.	500	300	300	12	165
East India Press Co.	1,000	1,000	1,000	Rs. 12	1 1-16d
Fort Press Co.	150	8,500	8 500	Rs. 150	2,450xd
French Press Co.	300	500	500	Rs. 40	620
Harvey & Sabapathy Co., Ld.	450	500	500	Rs. 25	50
Khamgaum Cotton Pressing	240	500	500	Rs. 40	450
Manmar Manfg. Co	1,000	250	250	Rs. 10	250xd
Mercantile Press	1,500	125	125	..	132½
Motonell Co.	3,150	400	400	..	392½
New Berar Cotton Ginning & Press Co.	1,250	500	500	..	550
New Broach Cotton Ginning & Press Co.	1,400	100	500	..	3
New Indian Press	1,000	125	125	..	162½
Printers of W. Press	500	500	100	Rs. 30	527½xd
Sabapathy Press Co., Ld., (Bellary.)	500	500	500	Rs. 75	450
Sind Press Co.	400	2,000	750	Rs. 75	640xd
Sind & Punjaub Cotton Press Co.	100	1,000	1,000	Rs. 90	1 250
Sassoon Press Co.	300	500	500	25	515
Volkart Press Co.	450	1,000	1,000	Rs. 21	640xd

BANK OF BOMBAY.

STATEMENT of the affairs of the Bank of Bombay for the week ending 5th November, as compared with the statement of the 31st October :—

LIABILITIES.	Oct. 31. Rs.	Nov. 5. Rs.
Proprietors' Capital	1,00,00,000	1,00,00,000
Reserve Fund, invested in Govt. and other authorised Securities..	25,00,000	25,00,000
Public Deposits at Head Office....	19,77,466	20,25,351
do. do. at Branches.....	20,58,371	23,53,687
Other Deposits	2,50,53,650	2,26,59,666
Cost Bills	3,61,925	5,86,216
Cash Credits undrawn.....	5,71,610	5,04,584
	4,55,19,962	4,35,29,527
ASSETS.		
Govt. & other authorized Securities	42,71,806	42,21,501
Cash Credits, on Security of Govt. Paper, Bullion, and Merchandize	16,11,945	16,67,320
Loans, on Security of do.....	22,42,306	23,56,998
Current Accounts, overdrawn	3,272	2,916
Bills Discounted and purchased	1,55,82,529	1,60,37,209
Stamps.....	22,768	22,748
Dead Stock..... Rs. 3,75,179		
Amt. applied in reduction Rs. 65,000	3,10,179	3,10,179
Balances with Correspondents.....	11,54,954	11,33,240
Cash and Currency Notes.....	2,03,50,212	1,67,77,386
	4,55,19,962	4,35,29,527

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE Arab steam-ship Swordsman, 719 tons, Capt. A. Wendt, cleared yesterday for Zanzibar with a general cargo and 55 deck passengers.

The steam-ship Monkseaton, 1,892 tons, Capt. Weightsman, which arrived in harbour on the 6th inst. from Cardiff brought 3,144 tons coal. The vessel is consigned to Messrs. James Mackintosh and Co.

THE steam-ship Crown of Aragon, 1,483 tons, Captain W. Ferguson, which arrived in harbour on Saturday last from Mauritius (24th Oct.) brought a cargo of sugar and 120 deck passengers; she is consigned to Messrs. W. and A. Graham and Co.

ARRIVALS.

Nov.	Vessels.	Commander.	From.
9	H. M. S. Jumna ..	FitzGeorge	Portsmouth, Oct. 11.
	Henry Balckow (s)	Hughes	Buseh.

DEPARTURE.

Nov.	Vessels.	Commander	Destination.
9	Swordsman	Wendt.....	Zanzibar.

The steamer Arcot began to load yesterday for Calcutta via Coasts.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVAL.

Nov.
5 Frundsberg..... S. de Semse ..Pola, Aug. 15.

DEPARTURES.

November 5.—Steamers Craigton, Goalpara, Mira, and City of Edinburgh. Ship Bandaneira. Barque Calcutta.

MADRAS.

ARRIVALS.

Nov.
5 Madras (s) .... Negapatam.
Shahjehan (s) .... Calcutta.
Indus (s) .... Calcutta.
Canning (s) .... Bombay.
6 Scindia (s) .... Calcutta.
Manora (s) .... London.

DEPARTURES.

No
4 Adowa (s) .... Rangoon.
Empress of India (s). ..... Rangoon.
5 India (s) .... London.
Nurjehan (s) .... Rangoon.
Bhundara (s) .... Rangoon.
6 Canning (s) .... Rangoon.
Shahjehan (s) .... Colombo.
7 Indus (s) .... London.

DAILY IMPORTS.—NOVEMBER 9.

FROM GLASGOW.

Victoria s—75 cases whisky, Barton and Co.
Clan Macdonald—75 cases whisky, B. M. Punthuckey.
Persia s—9 cases whisky, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Asia s—100 bags red lead, Adamjee Bhaiji; 33 cases writing paper, 60 cases slates and 10 casks rice bowels, Byramji Shapoorji; 20 casks paint, Kerr Tarruck and Co; 151 cases whisky, Dhunjibhoy Cawasji.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Merton Hall s—10 packages claret and brandy, Colten, Hogsonbn and Co.
Kerbella s—2 cases glassware, Aldridge, Salmon and Co.

FROM LONDON.

Rome s—100 cases brandy, W and A Graham and Co.
City of Carthage s—50 cases whisky, Aldridge, Salmon and Co.
Kangra s—11 cases gin and hock, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Huzara s—19 cases whisky and sherry; Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Roma s—6 cases sherry, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Malwa s—5 cases colours, T Fazoolabhoy.
Kerbella s—4 casks ale and 2 cases cognac, H F Soares and Co; 17 packages wine and spirit, Cutler, Palmer and Co.

FROM TRIESTE.

Amphitrite s—5 cases glass beads, A Ahmedji

FROM VENICE.

Gwalior s—34 cases paint beads, Framji Ardaseer Davur and Sons; 20 cases seed beads, M Essoofbhay.

DAILY EXPORTS.—NOVEMBER 9.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Clan Macdonald s—6,772 cwts wheat, Killick, Nixon and Co; 400 cwts myrabolians, Aldridge, Salmon and Co; 400 cwts dates, M Messa; 96 bales hemp, D Bhimjee.
Asia s—9,152 cwts wheat, Lang, Moir and Co.
Merton Hall s—201 cwts linseed, A Blaschcek and Co; 6 bales hides, Edward Bates and Co.

FOR LONDON.

Rome s—3,999 cwts linseed, Louis Dreyfus and Co; 12½ cwts ivory, T Topen; 3,412 cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers.

FOR GLASGOW.

Asia s—2,000 cwts wheat, Killick, Nixon and Co; 10,000 cwts wheat, Lyon and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Rome s—99 cwts cloves, David Sassoon and Co; 2,102 cwts groundnuts, D Bhanjee.
Carlton Tower s—2,000 cwts wheat, Louis Dreyfus and Co.

FOR GENOA.

Carlton Tower s—4,000 cwts wheat, Kika Kooshall; 5,400 cwts wheat, A Blaschcek and Co; 4,500 cwts ungelly seed, Elliot Wallace and Co; 6,000 cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers.

FOR ANTWERP.

Atrato s—161 cwts wheat, Tyebjee and Co; 75 cwts poppyseed and 1,999½ cwts linseed, Lang, Moir and Co; 1,000 cwts gingelly seed, Killick, Nixon and Co; 1,000 cwts linseed, William Bell and Co.
Cambodia s—1,250 cwts rapeseed and 150 cwts wheat, Gibelin Brothers; 3,300 cwts wheat, William Bell and Co.

FOR KOBE.

Zambesi s—70 bales twist Alliance Cotton Manfg. Co.
Zambesi s—103 bales twist, Sassoon J David and Co.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

Zambesi s—30 bales twist, D Sassoon and Co.
Zambesi s—20 bales twist, Alliance Cotton Manfg. Co.
Zambesi s—50 bales twist, The National S and W Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

Zambesi s—45 cwts raisins, Mahomedally Nurmoodeen, 11cwts raisins, and 7½ cwts jardaloo, Yue Lunching; 11 cwts kismiss, 11 cwts jardaloo and 30 cwts raisin, Yue Cowng Hingckie; 45 cwts shankins, L Chuttoo; 30½ cwts sharkins and 25 cwts fishmaws, J Peerbhoy and Co; 20 cwts raisins, 19 cwts kismiss, 1 package grendaboras, 1½ cwts kudoo and 4½ cwts fruit, J Jaffer Bhoy; 300 bales twist, J Peerbhoy and Co; 100 bales twist, Tata and Co; 100 bales twist, E Noordeen and Co; 75 bales twist, David Sassoon and Co; 67 bales twist, S N Talati and Co; 25 bales twist, N G Sassoon; 75 bales twist, Central India S and W Co; 25 bales twist, S Shewdutroy; 146 cwts raisins, R Edulee Dadachanjee; 13 cases peacock feathers and 1 case woollen goods, G Nuraydass; 34 cwts shankins, and 12 cwts peacock feathers, and 13 cwts raisins, Curriombhoy Ebram; 101 bales twist, E Ebram; 150 bales twist, D Mosleman; 250 cwts onions, Pokie; 95 bales twist, The National S and W Co, 93 cwts raisen, Yue Loong Huckie; 219 chests opium, P and O Co.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Zambesi s—256 bales twist, Sassoon J. David; 140 cwts broken glass, Cassina Vully.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Arcot s—100 bales cotton; Rustomjee Sethna.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—Nov. 5.

Gordon, Major, Bo Gl List, Infy, on medical certificate, from Dinapore.

NOVEMBER 7.

French, Lt, 20th Bo Infy, on leave, from Chotiali.
Hogg, Lt Col, Bo, Poona Horse, on duty, from Serur.

NOVEMBER 8.

Lowndes, Lt, Bo, Rifle Bgde, on duty, from Deolali.
Malcolm, Lt, Bo, Rl Fus, on leave, from Ahmedabad.
Smith, Lt, Mad R A, on duty, from Hingoli.
Reilly, Major, 28th Bo Infy, on duty, from Surat.

NOVEMBER 9.

Martin, Surgn, Bo M S, on leave, from Poona.
Bedford, Col, Bo R E, on leave, from Kirkee.
Grant, Col, Mad, on leave.

DEPARTURES.—Nov. 5.

Gough, Bt Lt-Col, 14th Hus, to rejoin.

NOVEMBER 7.

Wills, Lt, 15th Bl Cavy, to rejoin, to Rawal Pindi.

NOVEMBER 8.

Burton, Surgn, Mad M S, to rejoin, to Madras.
Reilly, Major, 28th Bo Infy, on duty, to Poona.

NOVEMBER 9.

MacDougall, Bgde-Surgn, Bo M D, to rejoin, to Matheran.
Baldock, Lt, Bl, 9th Dev Regt, to Jhansi.
Sanjana, Surgn, Mad I M D, recalled to duty, to Madras.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

By Major F. S. Hore, Offg. Comdt., B. V. R. C.

Bombay, November 10.

The first Commanding Officer's parade of the season will be held on Saturday, the 14th inst., under Lieut.-Col. L. H. Bayley. Fall in at the Town Hall at 4-30 p.m. sharp. Red uniform with helmets, arms and accoutrements to be worn. Members who are at the Tram terminus at Colaba, Byculla, Grant-road, Girgaum, or Prince's Dock at 4 p.m., and those met on their way will have their fares paid. Members defraying their own fares will be refunded the amount on applying, after parade, to the Instructors. This being the first Commanding Officer's parade of the season, it is expected that all members will do their utmost to be present.

The Mounted Rifles will parade this day, Tuesday, the 10th and Thursday the 12th inst., at the Kennedy Sea-face, near the Churney-road Station, at 7 a.m. At the close of the parade there will be aiming and position drill near the Marine Lines Station.

There will be drill at the following places and hours :—

6-30 a.m.—At the Oval, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

5 p.m.—At the J. J. Hospital, Monday, Wednesday, and Friday.

6-30 a.m. and 5 p. m.—At the P. and O. Dockyard, Monday and Friday.

5 p.m.—At the Byculla School, Monday and Thursday.

4 p.m.—At the Byculla Scottish School, Tuesday and Friday.

4 p.m.—At St. Peter's School, Mazagon, Tuesday and Thursday.

4-45 p.m.—At the Queen's Statue, Monday and Wednesday.

Cathedral High School, John Connon School, and Anglo-Irish Institution Cadets will parade at the Oval and Queen's Statue as above.

All members are requested to draw their rifles and accoutrements from Head-quarters as soon as possible.

Vol J W Vincent is transferred from G Company to E Company from this date.

The monthly committee meeting of the Volunteer Club will be held this day, Tuesday, the 10th instant, at 6 o'clock. All members are requested to attend.

By order,
H. HODGKINSON, Captain,
Adjutant, B. V. R. C.

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BOMBAY.

BIRTH.

SCOTT—November 8, at Girgaum, the wife of Robert Scott, of a daughter.

DEATH.

HAMMOND—November 5, at Poona, of asthma, John Hammond, late Traffic Supt., B. N. W. Ry., aged 43 years and 7 months.

The Bombay Gazette

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 10, 1885.

We are virtually at war with King Theebaw. The King's answer to the ultimatum of the Government of India has been received at Rangoon, and it is even more than evasive. We have not yet learnt what it has to say in regard to the claims upon the Bombay-Burmah Trading Corporation, but it practically rejects the demand that the foreign policy of the Court of Mandalay should be under the control of the British Resident. The King's refusal to accede to this until he has consulted Italy, and France, and Germany—the three European Powers with which he has relations—would be a wily means of gaining time, at any rate, if there were any chance of its succeeding. That it will not succeed we learn in the announcement that the troops will cross the frontier immediately. The time for evasive ingenuity has passed, and Theebaw must now submit, or try some other means of withstanding the claims that have been made upon him.

JUDGING from the accounts which reach us here, the prevalent impression in political circles in England seems to be that at the elections now drawing nigh the Liberals will have a majority, small or large, over the Conservatives. Indeed, it is understood that the Liberal leaders have, in anticipation of success, assigned the portfolios to those who are to supersede the Conservative Ministry between this and Christmas. Of course, this view of the matter must be discounted to a certain extent by the fact that the result calculated upon is desired by those who put it forward. The Conservatives, though manifestly in some doubt, refuse to accept this forecast. They count with some confidence on improving their prospects, and they have hopes of doing so to an extent which would give them a bare majority. They are certainly warranted in affirming that their position before the country has not been weakened, but strengthened, by the measure of success which has attended their tenure of office. It was thought in many quarters that they had fallen into a trap when they took over from the late Government a legacy of troubles which to all appearance it would be impossible for a Ministry holding office by sufferance, in the face of a hostile parliamentary majority, to deal with creditably. It seemed a matter of demonstration that the accumulation of difficulties which had proved fatal to the Gladstone Administration would be altogether beyond the capacity of a Ministry which could not carry a single measure without the permission of its enemies. The result has shown that the step supposed to be suicidal has enabled the Conservative leaders to gain a large measure of public confidence, and they are now unquestionably possessed of greater weight and influence than they were credited with in June last. They reasonably count upon the effect of this measure of success upon the constituencies. A favourite way of looking at the chances is to assume that had the elections taken place with the old constituencies the middle class reaction against the Gladstone Government would have given the Conservatives a majority. It is indisputable that this view was up to a certain point shared by the Liberal leaders, who were undoubtedly actuated by a desire to provide against a catastrophe by the Franchise and Redistribution measures. Of the two millions added to the list of voters, the Conservatives profess to believe that one-half will vote in accordance with their traditional respect for the influence of the landed proprietors and the established clergy. Allowing that a million of the new voters accept the Radical programme and the Nonconformist lead, Conservatives believe that the majority would fall to them, seeing that by the hypothesis the majority of the old constituencies are on their side. This method of reasoning will probably strike the impartial on-looker as more ingenious than reassuring; but it is nevertheless an indication that the party believe that they have still grounds for hoping the best.

If the more general expectation be realised and the Liberals obtain a majority over the combined Conservatives and Home Rulers, Mr. Gladstone, of course, will be again Prime Minister before the close of the year. It can hardly be expected, however, that the reconstituted Cabinet will occupy the position which was for so long a time regarded as secure and almost unassailable. No one expects that it will dispose of such a commanding majority, and both sections of the Opposition will almost certainly have acquired greater numerical strength and more robust hopes. Lord Salisbury taunted Mr. Chamberlain with having suggested that a Speaker appointed by himself should have dictatorial powers, but the suggestion was without doubt prompted by the certainty that the united opposition will, unless encountered by a virtual dictatorship in the House, render the position of a resuscitated Liberal Ministry well-nigh untenable. Of course, if the new Liberal majority were homogeneous, the utmost efforts of the Opposition, however strong or unscrupulous, would be nullified by the superior voting power controlled by the Ministry. But the cleavage between the moderate Liberals and the Radicals will inevitably become more pronounced in the new Parliament than it proved to be when it brought the late Cabinet to ride for the fall in June as a means of saving appearances. The Radicals will be strengthened, and will insist upon their programme taking the first place. Lord Salisbury anticipates that the aim of the Radicals will be to break up the landed interest and to disestablish the Church. Whether Lord Hartington will find it impossible to co-operate for these ends need not be discussed, for his lordship has always shown that he adapts his principles with great facility to the exigencies of the time. The Whigs as a body will, however, hardly make common cause with the Radicals. The Premier evidently calculates that Liberal Churchmen at all events may be expected to rally to the side of the party which will defend the Church. The noble Marquis gives greater prominence in his Brighton speech to the Disestablishment Question than to any other, and he scarcely conceals the hopes which he builds upon the disruption which that vexed question may entail upon the unity of the Liberal party. He warned the people of England that the real issue in the coming election was connected with the maintenance of the Established Church. "The question that is before you," his lordship said, "is which of the contending powers of the Liberal party is likely to carry the victory? If the Church Question does not come before the Parliament after that, and those who support and strengthen the Liberal party in the present Parliament will be strengthening and supporting the party which, in the next Parliament, will destroy the Church. Those Liberal Churchmen who hold the Church to be matter of more importance than any political object with which they can deal, if they support the Liberal party to a majority in this Parliament, are giving it that strength which, either in this Parliament, or the Parliament that is to come after it, will be fatal to the institution they revere." As a stimulus to the Liberal Churchmen thus appealed to, the Premier declared that "a wave of infidelity is sweeping over the land," and that the great issue of modern civilisation was how to contend against it. That such appeals will continue to be made, and that they will have a certain effect, may be looked upon as a matter of course. Already some of the Liberal Bishops of the Established Church have pronounced strongly against the proposal of disestablishment, and inferentially against those Liberal candidates who are in favour of it.

In Scotland Mr. Chamberlain has confirmed the allegiance, which indeed was never really doubtful, of the constituencies to the Liberal cause. In Ireland the new franchise has swamped the Conservative majority in several of the Ulster constituencies which were hitherto looked upon as safe. The Home Rulers are believed to be certain of returning eighty-five members, with a possible ninety. This being the case with the sister kingdoms, the Conservatives must secure an overwhelming victory in the English constituencies if they are to have an equality of votes, to say nothing of a majority, in the House of Commons. If they be beaten at the polls the present Government, of course, will come to an end at once, and the hopes of the party will then be concentrated upon the difficulties which will inevitably beset a Liberal Ministry. Besides the Disestablishment Question, the new Government will have to deal with the necessity for establishing a system of local government in Ireland. Mr. Childers has put forward a plan for reconciling the imperial supremacy of Parliament with institutions which would hand over purely Irish affairs to local management. Mr. Gladstone in his manifesto foreshadowed some measure of the kind, and Mr. Chamberlain has elaborated a scheme for establishing local self-government in all parts of the United Kingdom. The Liberals are not likely to leave the initiative in this matter to Lord Randolph Churchill, and in attempting to deal with it they will almost certainly present a somewhat vulnerable flank to the Conservatives. Speaking generally, it seems probable that if the Conservatives be beaten at the polls, they will not be as men without hope. They will be far more formidable, even in their discomfiture, to the Liberal occupants of the Treasury Bench than when they formed the demoralised remnant which survived the overthrow of Lord Beaconsfield's following at the last general election. It is a curious evidence of the mutability of opinion that the *Quarterly Review* actually bases its expectation of success in the elections now at hand on the fact that the party is not weighted with the discredit which, undeservedly it is true, attached to Lord Beaconsfield when he appealed to the country five years ago. "It must be admitted, though not without a sense of shame," says the Reviewer with tardy candour, "that Lord Beaconsfield was made a source of weakness to his party in the election" of 1880. He was then depicted as the incarnation of all that was evil and dangerous in public life, but now he has been glorified by death, and the primrose cult has taken the place of the distrust and antipathy which overwhelmed his Government. The moral of this may be consolatory to the victims of human caprice, whose decrees may soon once again be registered in the fateful ballot box.

A FEW years ago the home papers were full of inquiries regarding the best country to live in for a gentleman of moderate means. This set a great many people mounting their hobbies and dilating upon the advantages held forth by that corner of the world in particular which they considered the modern Eden. The Rugby colony of Mr. Tom Hughes, for instance, came into prominence about the same time, and the British paterfamilias, who was often bothered with the question "What shall we do with our sons?" took to hunting up in the map places in distant dependencies whose names even he had not heard of previously. Among the places mentioned, the Indian hill-stations hardly ever found place. The idea of India as a permanent place of residence for Europeans seemed to enter few heads. It was the fashion to consider retirement from India as the gleam of light towards which one had to grope through long years of toil in a benighted land: and fashion had to be followed. The retired Anglo-Indian found his haven of rest in some seaside town or inland watering-place, or took his ease in "respectable" Bayswater. Some adventurous spirits, fired by ambition, did occasionally try to begin life afresh in Australia. But the steady depreciation in the value of the rupee now threatens to become an important factor in the question of retirement from India. Men have taken to arguing seriously with themselves whether it is not better to stay in India and obtain the full value of

TELEGRAMS.

THE CRISIS IN UPPER BURMAH.

REJECTION OF THE ULTIMATUM.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

RANGOON, Nov. 9.

The s.s. Ashley Eden left Mandalay on Thursday with the answer to the ultimatum. It is believed to be courteous, but evasive.

Mr. Andreino, the Italian Consul, has been prevented from leaving. The Kinwoon has guaranteed the safety if he remains. If he and the other Europeans left, the Kinwoon would not be answerable for what happened to the steamer between Mandalay and Minhla.

All the assistants of the Bombay and Burmah Trading Corporation remain in office.

The Koonaya on the Irrawaddy has been closed.

The Kinwoon is the only Minister who understands the seriousness of the situation. The others told the King think the British are playing a game of brag. The delay in advancing our forces to the frontier, making it impossible to adhere to the original programme of crossing on Wednesday, confirms these suspicions.

The Sphinx, from Trincomalee, arrived on Sunday.

The Liverpool Regiment, from Calcutta, and the Hampshire Regiment, from Madras, have arrived, and have been transhipped into flats, which are anchored in the river.

Surprise is expressed here at the delay in pushing on the troops to Thayetmyo. The block houses at Thayetmyo and on the frontier were inspected on Saturday by the Deputy Commissioner, who was pleased at their state of preparedness.

LATER.

It is stated here that the answer to the ultimatum asks for three months' time to refer the matter to the arbitration of Germany, France, or Italy. Colonel Sladen and two English and two Burmese assistants leave by to-night's mail-train for the frontier.

CALCUTTA, Nov. 9.

The answer from King Theebaw was received at Rangoon this morning. Its contents are lengthy and unacceptable.

The King refuses to modify his relations with foreign powers until he consults Italy, France, and Germany.

The troops cross the frontier immediately.

TRANDING OF A P. AND O. STEAMER.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENTS.)

COLOMBO, Nov. 9.

The P. and O. steamer Indus has gone ashore near Pulletivee, 60 miles north of Trincomalee. The second officer has arrived at Trincomalee. He reported the weather fine on leaving the ship at noon yesterday. Communication with shore is impossible above Trincomalee. H. M. S. Ranger, which was to have gone to Rangoon, has been laid for assistance.

COLOMBO, Nov. 9.

The Peninsular and Oriental steamer Indus, from Madras to Colombo, has gone ashore on the north-east coast of Ceylon, sixty miles to the north of Trincomalee. Three miles from shore it was found impossible to hand the passengers owing to a heavy surf. The vessel was in shallow water with a sandy bottom, and bumping heavily. The second officer reached Trincomalee to-day. The Gunboat Ranger was at once despatched by eleven to the scene of the wreck. The Company's agent at Colombo asked the directors in London permission to send the Clyde from Australia to bring away the passengers and luggage and cargo. It is very doubtful if the Clyde will go. The Colonial steamer Serendib will then proceed to the rescue. No life has been lost in the accident.

AUSTRALIAN NEWS.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

COLOMBO, Nov. 9.

The Australian mail reports a shock of earthquake in Victoria and part of New South Wales on the 8th ult.

A largely attended meeting of Australian woolproducers has been held in Melbourne to consider the advisability of opening up a market for Australian wool in China, Japan, and British India.

Admiral Tryon has returned from Thursday Island. It is believed that the place will be strongly fortified, as an important strategical position.

Sir John Coode has been engaged inspecting the scheme for the improvement of wharfage accommodation at Sydney; also inspecting harbours in Queensland.

The editor of the *South Australian Times* has been sentenced to *six months' imprisonment* for libelling Mr. Tomkinson, a Member of the Legislative Council.

A Governor's residence is being built at Port Moresby.

THE FARTHER EAST.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

COLOMBO, Nov. 9.

Deplorable accounts are received from Annam. The civil war has prevented the land being cultivated, and consequently there are no crops, and famine is impending.

General Briére de Lisle has resigned in disgust.

Twenty thousand chests of tea have been recovered from the Glenogle; the remainder are damaged.

The pirates who robbed the Greyhound are reported to have been arrested at Macao. A gunboat has left Hongkonk for the Ladrones in chase of the piratical junks.

It is reported that Sir Douglas Forsyth has been appointed British Minister at Pekin.

News of an alarming spread of rebellion in Kashgaria, openly supported by Russian arms and money, comes from China. The situation has become serious, and frequent Cabinet Councils are being held at Pekin to discuss the steps to be taken to despatch troops and munitions of war. It is apprehended that unless active steps are taken the province will be lost. The distance troops have to march is immense, and it is doubtful if Kashgaria can be saved.

A plan for a Chinese Admiralty is published. Prince K'ung is nominated first Lord or High Commissioner, Earl Li and Marquis Tseng joint imperial commissioners. The Admiralty office will be at Tienstain. Naval schools afloat and ashore have been founded, with colleges for cadets and classes for torpedo and gunnery training. Similar steps will shortly be taken for the army, with a War Office and military colleges.

Railways have been taken in hand primarily by the Jardines. A few metallic roads, formed by De Tring, have developed an amazing cart traffic. The mineral wealth of the country in the northern districts is believed to be enormous. The principal products expected are gold, galena, coffee, and coal.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

THE CONFERENCE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 8.

At yesterday's sitting of the Conference a general basis for future deliberations was drafted. The endeavours of the German Ambassador to reconcile the views of England and Russia strengthen the hopes of a peaceful settlement of the Bulgarian question being arrived at.

APPOINTMENT OF A TURKISH ENVOY TO EGYPT.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 8.

Ahmed Moukhar Pasha has been appointed Turkish Commissioner to assist in the reorganisation of the Egyptian Administration.

THE MAILS.

LONDON, Nov. 9.

The Bombay mails of the 23rd ult. arrived at Brindisi on the 7th inst.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

LISBON, Nov. 7.

The B. I. S. N. Co's steamer Rewa, homeward bound from Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, left here yesterday evening.

The B. I. S. N. Co's steamer Loodiana, homeward bound from Bombay, Kurrachee, and Malabar Coast, left here yesterday evening.

PLYMOUTH, Nov. 9.

The B. I. S. N. Co's steamer Rewa, homeward bound from Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, arrived here yesterday morning.

SUEZ, Nov. 7.

The Clan Line steamer Clan Murray arrived here from Bombay yesterday afternoon.

Nov. 9.

The P. and O. Co's steamer Coromandel arrived here from Colombo yesterday afternoon.

ADEN, Nov. 7.

The B. I. S. N. Co's steamer Navarino, outward bound for Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, left here this afternoon.

Nov. 9.

The B. I. S. N. Co's steamer Huzara, homeward bound from Bombay, Kurrachee, and Malabar Coast, left here this morning.

The Italian mail-steamer Manilla, Captain A. Cruciani, homeward bound, which sailed from Bombay on the 1st inst., left here on the 7th.

ZANZIBAR, Nov. 9.

His Highness the Sultan of Zanzibar's s.s. Malacca reached here direct from Bombay to-day.

COLOMBO, Nov. 9.

Mail steamer Clyde, from Australia, arrived.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, Nov. 6.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed dull. Surats quiet.

The London Cotton Market has been flat.

Good Fair Dhollera	4 7-16
The Manchester Market has been quiet.	
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	73½
5 ,, ,,	74½
5 per cent. Consols for account	100½
3½ ,, Sterling Loan	100½
4 ,, French Rentes	107½
Bar Silver	47½

LIVERPOOL WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.

LONDON, Nov. 6.

Total week's sales of Cotton	46,000 bales.
,, ,, ,, Surats	2,000 ,,
,, ,, Imports of Cotton	84,000 ,,
,, ,, ,, Surats	nil. ,,
,, Stock of Cotton	383,000 ,,
,, ,, Surats	30,000 ,,
,, Stock of Cotton in London	20,000 ,,

LONDON, Nov. 7.

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Good Fair Dhollera	4 7-16

The sum of about £100,000 has been withdrawn from the Bank of England for Portugal.

Arrivals—Mamefuke and Rhosina.

THERMOMETER READINGS.

SUNDAY, NIGHT, Nov. 8.

10 p.m.	81·8

MONDAY, Nov. 9.

6 a.m.	79·3
10 a.m.	84·1
2 p.m.	86·0
4 p.m.	84·6

CAPTAIN STREET, Assistant Director, Marine Department, who was deputed to Madras to superintend the embarkation of the troops for Burmah, left Madras to return to Bombay on Sunday evening.

MRS. T. C. HOPE arrived at Khandalla yesterday, and will stay there a few days, pending the arrival of the Hon. Mr. Hope in Bombay on tour.

THE height of water in Vehar and Tulsi lakes on the 6th inst. was respectively 57 feet 30 cents and 47 feet 30 cents, compared with 58 feet 50 cents and 50 feet 40 cents in the corresponding period last year.

WE are asked to announce that the annual Choral Festival will be held at the Cathedral on Wednesday, the 18th inst., at 5-30 p.m. The anthems to be sung are Wesley's "Blessed be the God and Father," and Mendelssohn's "Be not afraid" (Elijah), and the Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis will be taken from Ebdon's service in C. As on former occasions, the Cathedral will be thrown open to all desirous of attending, but a certain portion will be set apart for the accommodation of holders of the festival music books, copies of which can be obtained on application at the Cathedral vestry, price eight annas each. We are also asked to mention that there will be a choral celebration on the morning of the 18th inst., at 8 o'clock.

UNDER instructions from the Government of India so much of the Notification of the Government of Bombay as imposed quarantine at Aden and Perim on arrivals from Calcutta has been withdrawn.

TIMID people will be concerned to hear, on the authority of a Poona paper, that a tiger has been seen prowling among the breezy heights of Mahableshwar. Beyond "killing and walking away with a cow," however, it has done little mischief. A tiger is periodically trotted out at Mahableshwar to frighten children and their ayahs.

H. E. NAWAB AMEER AKBAR OSMAN JAH, who came here last week from Hyderabad, entertained the friends he has made during his short sojourn in Bombay to dinner at Watson's Hotel last evening. Covers were laid for about a hundred ladies and gentlemen. The health of the host was proposed by Major Hammond, R. A., in a few appropriate terms, and was drunk with standing honours. The Nawab, in return, thanked his friends for their courtesy. His Excellency, who is accompanied by Mr. Dosabhoy Nusserwanjee Chinoy, his private secretary, and a large retinue, returns by to-day's mail to Hyderabad.

A *Gazette Extraordinary* has just been published at Hyderabad in which Mr. A. J. Dunlop is appointed to be president, and Messrs. Sirajul Hoosain and Moorlidar to be members, of the new Commission to inquire into all Sannad cases. The former members are thus provided for. Moulvie Syed Ali Ahmed is to be a member of the *Majlis Sahooan* to inquire into claims against His Highness' Government; Meer Nawab is appointed First Talukdar of the Mehduch District; Syed Budroodin is to report himself to the Judicial Secretary for service in that department; while Moulvie Wali Ahmed is without any appointment, and will probably be pensioned. The Minister says in the same *Gazette* that there is nothing against the conduct of any of these officials, more especially in reference to the Sannad Fraud Cases recently brought to light, and that therefore they are not to consider that the Government has removed them from any want of confidence, as full belief is entertained in their ability and integrity.

THERE are four candidates in the field for the appointment of superintendent of the Stud Farm and Remount Agent, Hyderabad, *viz.*, Major Gough; Mr. Stevens, private secretary to the Nawab Khoorshed Jah; Mr. Wilkinson, in the employment of the Nawab Yikral-ul-Oomrah; and Captain Hayes, of horse-breaking fame. The Stud Farm was established by the late Minister in 1877 for the purpose of breeding horses and cattle, and for the cultivation of grass and fodder. A few stallions are kept at Rajampett, while some thirty or forty others are placed for breeding purposes in various parts in the districts. Since the introduction of proper stud arrangements the number of horses brought for sale to the Malligaon fair has increased from a few hundreds to nearly four thousand.

IT is announced that the Nepalese Durbar has issued a proclamation to its subjects, encouraging enlistment in our army. "This policy," remarks the Lahore paper, "will remove much of the difficulty hitherto experienced in recruiting Goorkhas. It is, moreover, the only policy consistent with the dignity of the Empire, and with our friendly relations with Nepal."

A FRONTIER correspondent states that the Russians are at a place called Kolab, which is five stages from Badakhshan, a place upon which they have designs as affording a good basis for operations against either Afghanistan or Seistan. The Badakhshanies are Mahomedan Shiahs. From Badakhshan there are good roads to Chittral, Dhar, Bajour, and Swat, and also to Gilgit and Kashmere. The Russians throw the people off the scent by sending troops in opposite directions to that on which they have designs. The Kabulies and Russians are said to be in close intercourse. Many Afghan officers of high position are with the Russians.

THE *Englishman* corrects the statement of a contemporary regarding the 800 Snider rifles to be allowed to the Maharaja of Ulwar. The arrangement, it is said, is nothing whatever to do with the Viceroy's visit to Ulwar, and refers to a period several months ago. When the Maharaja offered to send troops over the Afghan frontier, the Durbar applied for sanction to purchase Snider rifles for the infantry and carbines for the cavalry that were ready to proceed to the front, and the Government sanctioned the issue on payment. When, however, the occasion for military aid passed away, the Maharaja made a restricted application for 800 rifles, and this was sanctioned. The grant arrived at Ulwar only a few days before the Viceroy's visit.

THE *Statesman* regrets to hear that Sir Richard Garth's health has not improved by his sea-trip to Ceylon. When the High Court re-opens after the long vacation on the 18th instant, the Chief Justice will not take his seat on the Bench. "A report, which comes from an authentic source, says that his lordship has written in to the Home Office to make arrangements to fill up his place. Sir Richard's time is, we believe, nearly over, and he has only six months more to put in. Speculation is, of course, rife as to who is to be his successor, and the latest talk in legal circles is, that the choice lies between Sir Comer Petheram, of the High Court, N.-W. P., and Mr. Justice Wilson."

DR. KING, of the Geological Department, who was a short time ago sent from Calcutta to report on the probability of obtaining water by means of artesian wells in the neighbourhood of Vizagapatam, has expressed an opinion that there is but little chance of such ever being successful in that district. At the same time Dr. King, who has made an excursion to Gallikona, is said to have made some important discoveries as to the mineral wealth of the district, a report on which will be published after his return to Calcutta. There can be no doubt of the fact that plumbago is to be found in large quantities, as it is commonly used by the local potters for glazing earthenware. Some traces of gold are also said to have been discovered within a mile of the cantonment; but for fuller particulars Dr. King's report must be awaited.

IN announcing the departure of Mr. Fanshawe, of the Punjab Secretariat, on furlough, the Lahore paper takes occasion to give that zealous officer the following testimonial:—"His executive training has been singularly varied and complete. He began his service under Mr. Moore, of Rohtak, an officer who paid special attention to a duty that is too often neglected, that of training his young assistants. He assisted Major Grey in developing the system of canals which has made that gentleman's administration of Ferozepore famous. He learned settlement work under Mr. Fryer at Dera Ghazi Khan, and famine duty with Sir Richard Temple in Bengal. As Settlement Officer of Rohtak he wrote a report that was described by the Government of India as the model of what a settlement report should be. He turned his Bengal experience to account in the Kashmere famine; and after working for several years as Under-Secretary in the Revenue Department, he was selected to officiate as Junior Secretary on Mr. Mackworth Young's departure for England. It is not always that selections made by Government commend themselves to the service from which the appointments are made. But here the unanimous voice of the Punjab Commission approved the choice. An absolutely indefatigable worker, with a passion for detail and an infinite fund of sound commonsense and good judgment, Mr. Fanshawe's intimate knowledge of the administrative machinery of the Province has made his services specially valuable in the Secretariat."

The total extent of the forests in Bengal under the superintendence of the Forest Department is 7,503,186 acres, or nearly the same as last year. These may be subdivided into reserved forests 3,124,267 acres, protected 1,470,376 acres, district 2,760,503 acres, and proposed reserves, not included under either of the two latter heads, 147,980 acres.

THE Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal has joined in the crusade against long departmental reports. The report which has excited His Honour's displeasure is that of the Forest Department, which contains 52 quarto pages of text, besides 45 pages of tabular statements and appendices. While admitting that it leaves no detail of the year's administration untouched, His Honour complains that numerous topics which have already been separately discussed during the year, are again brought forward in the report, the result being "that in the mass of unimportant and uninteresting details, the broad facts of administration, which alone it was necessary to set forth, are obscured." His Honour also lays down that, in his judgment, whatever the merits of administration in any department may be, those merits are greatly enhanced by the capacity to report its results in a concise and clear narrative. Most persons who are compelled by circumstances to wade through a number of these Government reports will fully agree with Sir Rivers Thompson, and it is satisfactory to learn that steps are now being taken to reduce the size of reports in the future. The Conservator of Forests is especially directed to submit a plan whereby in future the size of his report may be diminished, without any sacrifice of such information as is considered material.

MR. BATCHELOR, late proprietor of the *South of India Observer*, has been charged by the District Magistrate, Ootacamund, with an infringement of the Press Act in the publication in pamphlet form of the papers in the *Pall Mall Gazette*, entitled the "Maiden Tribute of Modern Babylon" and has been fined Rs. 200, with the alternative of one month's imprisonment. The charge was made under these sections of the Printing Presses Act:—

3. Every book or paper printed within British India shall have printed legibly on it the name of the printer and the place of printing, and (if the book or paper be published) of the publisher, and the place of publication.

12. Whoever shall print or publish any book or paper otherwise than in conformity with the rule contained in Section 3 of this Act, shall, on conviction before a magistrate, be punished by fine not exceeding 5,000 rupees, or by simple imprisonment for a term not exceeding two years, or by both.

The defence offered was ignorance of the violation of the law. The defendant has given notice of appeal.

WHILE Mr. Stuart Cumberland has come east to India from England, Mr. Irving Bishop, another thought-reader, has gone north to Stockholm. On the 13th ult. the King of Sweden and Norway, accompanied by Prince Carl and suite, attended the farewell reception of Mr. Irving Bishop prior to his departure for Russia. Much sensation was created by Mr. Bishop driving, whilst blindfolded, and seated in an open carriage, a pair of spirited horses through the city, accompanied by the French Minister, Count Daunay, to the Embassy, where Mr. Bishop discovered a book which His Excellency had secreted in his library, no other person knowing its whereabouts. The King congratulated Mr. Bishop upon his success.

A LONDON correspondent, in noticing that one of the sporting papers has got a new editor, says:—I wish that the new man would look carefully after the English of his staff. The old style of slangy writing which the young bloods loved in the days of Pierce Egan, has quite gone out, and that is a mercy. Yet those sporting writers of the past generation, though they *did* write about "breadbaskets," "potatoe-traps," and the "tapping of claret," were, for the most part, educated men who, at any rate, wrote decent grammar. Now-a-days, sporting reporters seem to suppose that, like the famous Emperor of Germany, they are *supra grammaticam*.

BENSON, the leader in the gigantic turf frauds which were the subject of a sensational trial a few years ago, has just been released from prison. It is said that his father, a gentleman of good standing in Paris, has just died, and that the convict leaves prison to enjoy a fortune of £1,200 a year.

ONE of the minor sights which now attracts attention in Paris is that of the Burmese Ambassadors walking at twilight in the boulevards. The chief of the Mission says the Paris, paper is a gentleman in the enjoyment of a name that will hardly escape the notice of some librettist of comic opera. He is Prince Pon Won Doareck Tao, and is about 30 years of age. He speaks French well, and, with the exception of the fez, he dresses in the European fashion.

MILITARY NEWS.

LIEUTENANT C. C. OWEN, No. 4 Battery, 1st Brigade, London Division, Campbellpore, has been transferred to the 2nd Battery, 3rd Brigade, Royal Artillery, at Mean Meer.

LIEUTENANT H. H. BLOCK, B Battery, 1st Brigade, Royal Artillery, Mooltan, has been transferred to N Battery 3rd Brigade, at Mean Meer.

LIEUTENANT M. B. BICKNELL, No. 7 Battery, 1st Brigade, Northern Division, has been transferred to the No. 9 Battery, 1st Brigade (Mountain) Cinque Ports Division, and ordered to join at Calcutta.

LIEUTENANTS L. G. WATKINS and W. H. Robinson, No. 5 Battery, 1st Brigade, Lancashire Division, has been transferred to the No. 3 Battery, 1st Brigade, Scottish Division, for service in Burmah.

THE death is announced at Mussoorie of Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon Edwin John Batt, of the Indian Medical Department, Inspecting Veterinary Surgeon, 2nd Circle, Bengal.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL G. T. L. CARWITHEN, 1st Battalion, the King's Own Borderers, has been appointed Commandant of Laudour Depôt, *vice* Stockwell.

VETERINARY-SURGEONS S. LONGHURST, 1st Dragoon Guards, J. W. A. Morgan, Q Battery, 3rd Brigade, Royal Artillery, and R. Pringle, in charge of N and P Batteries, 3rd Brigade, Royal Artillery, have been ordered home on completion of their tour of Indian service.

MAJOR FREDERICK E. SHEPPERD, Royal Welsh Fusiliers, has retired from the service on a pension and step of honorary rank.

Two lieutenants from the half-pay list have been brought into the South Wales Borderers.

CAPTAIN LORD ERNEST W. HAMILTON, 11th Hussars, has resigned his commission.

THE second practice this season of the Bengal Rifle Club was held on the Ballygunge rifle range on Thursday morning; 10 shots at 500 yards with the Martini-Henry, without sighting shots. The first place was taken by Corporal H. C. Dring, of the Mounted Company, Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, with the good score of 4, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 5, 4, 4, 5=47.

THE s. s Ellora left Calcutta on Friday with the Punjab (Hazara) Mountain Battery, the Bombay (No. 1) Mountain Battery, and Bengal Sappers and Miners. The mail-steamer for Burmah was detained until Saturday. Brigadier-General Norman, Colonel Sandford, Commanding Royal Engineers, and staff were to go by this vessel.

IT is in contemplation to open two more Commissariat Account offices in Bengal, making a total of six. They are only adding to increased military expenditure, without any compensating advantage.

SERGEANT GEORGE GORDON, 5th Dragoon Guards, has been gazetted Lieutenant in the 3rd Dragoon Guards, *vice* Lieutenant W. H. Hillas, promoted.

ARRIVAL OF THE TROOPSHIP JUMNA

H. M.'s TROOPSHIP JUMNA, Captain FitzGeorge, arrived in harbour yesterday from Portsmouth, which port she left on the 11th October, calling at Plymouth (12th ult.), where she embarked troops and arrived at Malta on the 21st October, where she landed of the troops and embarked some others, She sailed at Port Said on the 25th October, Suez 27th October. The vessel stayed there two days on account of very violent sandstorms. The Jumna met the Malabar on the 8th inst. and sent one man and two women on board. Three infants and one horse died during the voyage. The Jumna brings six stallions for the Indian Government. The troops will disembark to-day at 10 a.m. The Rev. Father Riordan has spiritual charge of the troops, is beguiling with his time by indoctrinating the heathen. The troops arrived at Portsmouth are 61 officers, 14 ladies, 11 children, 848 men, 50 women, and 60 children. From Plymouth: —6 officers, 293 men, 12 women, and 17 children. From Malta,—3 officers, 37 men, 8 women, and 4 children. The following is the list of the officers and their families:—

From Portsmouth.—Majors G C H Parsley, and H V Cowen; Capts E Vaughan Hughes, and W J Robertson, wife, and 3 children; Lieut. and Mrs C J Grant, Lieuts C D Guiness, A Stokes, S E G Lawless, H M Campbell; Rdg-Mr. J Wilkin, wife, and 2 children, of R H A; Majors W Taylor and P H Hammond; Capts J J Swinton, H J Lyster, A E Wilmot, F E Sinclair; Lieuts H Chance, S B Von Donop, A D Maclean, C R Buckle, H Mallock, L F G Gordon, C G Watson, E A Campbell, W M Glover, L H Parry and G A Carden, of the R A, J C Sutherland, 1st Hord Regt, G H Davies, 2-Cheshire, P T A Spence, 2-Derby, W H Hilbrand, 2-Dur Regt, R M Barrington, 2-Hampsh, L M Foster, 2-Fus, Gough, 1-R I Fus, G E Rogers, K G O Powis Lane, A T Young, 1-E Lanc Regt, F Rennick, 2-N Staff, H T Dennys, 2-Manch, G W Parett, 2-Norfolk, H W G Cole, 2-N Fus, A A Howell, C Parr, 1-Oxf L I, C H O Godfrey, 2-R I Fus, and W Lowey, Hon B Forbes Simpell, J S Shaw, 1-R W Surrey, H King, 1-S W Bord, H D Radcliffe, 1-R Welsh Fus, and E J Drummond, 2-West York; Lt-Col E H M Buller, Rifle Bde, Maj and Mrs A Brett, A P D, Capt and Mrs H Midwood, Qr-Mr W Norris, 1-S Regt, Surg-Maj F Falwasser, Surg and Mrs T Maunsell, Surg J J Routh, Surg E Davies, Surg J Meek, Surg F J Drury, Mrs Walker and child, Mrs Wells, Mrs Langhorne and child, Mrs Jenkins and child, Mrs Wheler, Mrs Buckland, 2 children, and nurse, Mrs Rendle, Mrs Keogh, 2 children, and nurse.

From Plymouth.—Capt R J W Murchison, R A; Lt A G Carrie, R A, Lt Q T Cuming, R A, Maj J D Howden, 4-K R R C, Lt E J Bewar, Lt F G Davis, 2nd Wilts.

From Malta—Maj P K A Beaver, R A, Lt E R H Johnstone, R A, Lt H Kennedy, R A, and Rev Father Riordan, Lt 60.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Gaiety Theatre, 9 p.m.
Band, Marine Battalion, Apollo-bunder, 5-45 p.m.
Concert, Town Hall, 9 p.m.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessels arrived yesterday:—H. M. S. Jumna, from Portsmouth; and Henry Balckow (s), Buarch.

VESSEL SAILED.—The following vessel sailed yesterday:—Swordsman (s), for Zanzibar.

MUSIC AT THE APOLLO-BUNDER.—The following programme of music will be played at the Apollo-bunder by the band of the Marine Battalion this evening at 5-45:—

Quadrille	Fantasia	Hertel.
Grand Selection	Erin	Basquit.
Valse	Bid Me Good-bye	Camors.
Operatic Selection	I Masnadieri	Verdi.
Patrol	Turkish	Michaelis.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

B. B. AND C. I. RAILWAY.—The approximate return of traffic for the week ending the 31st ult. shows an increase in receipts of Rs. 32,021.

EURASIAN AND ANGLO-INDIAN ASSOCIATION.—A meeting will be held at St. Peter's School, Mazagon, on Thursday, at 8-30 p.m., for the purpose of explaining the objects and aims, as also the present working, of the Association.

A PICK-POCKET.—Rukmajee Namajee was yesterday convicted by Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee of stealing a purse containing Rs. 5 from the pocket of Essau Kamissa while passing along Shaik Memon-street on Friday night. He was fined Rs. 20, with the alternative of fourteen days' rigorous imprisonment.

THE BOMBAY HOMŒOPATHIC CHARITABLE DISPENSARY.—The total attendance of patients treated in this institution during the past month was 1,800 consisting of 1,044 males, 420 females, and 336 children. Of these, 1,202 were Hindus, 518 Parsees, 42 Mussulmans, and 38 Christians. The daily average was 58·064.

FRAUDULENT POSSESSION.—Bhia Mahadeo, a noted character, was yesterday convicted by Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee of having in his possession a gold charm, valued at Rs. 5, reasonably suspected of having been stolen or fraudulently obtained. The prisoner, on admitting several previous convictions, was sentenced to threemonths' rigorous imprisonment.

FATAL QUARRY A[illegible] was held yesterday [illegible] J. Hospital, on the body of Narayen [illegible] aged 30 years. Deceased was a labourer employed at Sewree. About fifteen days ago he was severely injured in the right heel by a stone from a blast, and died in hospital from tetanus yesterday. A verdict of accidental death was recorded.

GAIETY THEATRE.—The performance this evening by the English Opera-Bouffe Company will be under the patronage of Captain Selfridge and the officers of the U. S. S. Omaha. The piece selected is the popular opera "Patience," which has always drawn crowded houses. It will be seen from the advertisement that excellent preparations have been made to put the piece suitably on the boards.

MURDEROUS ASSAULT AND SUICIDE.—An inquest was held yesterday at Nowrojee Hill, on the body of Gungaram Vittoo, aged 40 years. Deceased was a labourer. About four or five months ago he married a woman named Witte, but ever since he had lived unhappily with her. On the 5th inst. in a jealousy yesterday morning he inflicted two wounds with a clasp knife on his wife's face, and then cut his own throat. A verdict of suicide was recorded.

LOST PROPERTY.—Muncherjee Pallonjee, residing at Dwarkadass-street, has reported to the police that on Sunday he dropped from his pocket a purse containing Rs. 2 in cash, a cheque on the Chartered Mercantile Bank for Rs 1,200 drawn by Messrs. McKenzie, Lyall, and Co. of Calcutta, in his favour, and other papers.—Lumidas Mathooradas has also reported that on Saturday last, while at Laljee Maharaja's temple, he dropped a gold ear-ring set with three large pearls, valued at Rs. 250.

THEFT.—Inspector Dillon charged Goolal Balloo, a noted thief, before Mr. Ryan, yesterday, with the theft of a silver lota valued at Rs. 35. The accused used to disguise himself as a Brahmin mendicant and visit the houses of wealthy Banias, asking for alms. He went into the house of one Lalljee Dahia, and when unobserved picked up a large silver lota, and was walking away with it, when he was met at the door by the owner. Being an old offender, who only came out of jail a week ago, he was sentenced to two years' hard labour.

ASSAULT.—Wittoo Rama, Antone Pascoie, and Jackie Siddee were yesterday convicted by Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee of assaulting Bhairow Guyadin, a peon, on the 2nd inst. ago and, with three accused, to satisfy an old grudge, assaulted the complainant with sticks, and beat him so severely that he was laid up in the J. J. Hospital for a week. The first and third accused were fined Rs. 15 each; the second, being a noted character, was fined Rs. 20, and was also ordered to forfeit Rs. 50 on a bail bond executed by him on the 20th May last to keep the peace for a period of six months.

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BENGAL.

DEATHS IN CALCUTTA.—During the week ended the 31st of October there were 313 deaths registered in Calcutta, giving a death-rate of 25·6 per thousand per annum. In the previous week there were 269 deaths, and the death-rate was 25·1 per thousand. There were 9 deaths from small-pox, 6 from cholera, 57 from fevers, 29 from tetanus, and 8 from causes not specified. The deaths are thus classified:—3 Non-Asiatics, 13 mixed races, 141 Hindus, 35 Muhammadans, and 1 other races. The Health Officer adds the following remarks:—The total number of deaths registered during the week was 313 against 269 and 198 in the two preceding weeks, and 4 in excess over that of the corresponding week last year. There were 9 deaths from cholera, against 8 and 4 in the two preceding weeks, the quinquennial mean being 25. There was no death from small-pox since the four preceding weeks. The mortality from fevers amounted to 58 against 76 and 66 in the two preceding weeks, and was lower than the average of the quinquennium. The general death-rate during the week was 25·6 per 1,000 of population per annum.

PIONEER COMPANY CALCUTTA VOLUNTEER RIFLES.—The West Indian Company of the Calcutta Volunteer Rifles—as the "Pioneer Company"—made its first appearance at the muster parade on Wednesday morning last. Knowing how these men are employed, it was a matter for surprise to meet so many on parade at such an early hour. This turn-out, reflects credit on their various employers, who to all appearances are desirous of giving their men opportunities of improving themselves as Volunteers. This company, it will be remembered, was organized on the 23rd of May last by its Color Sergeant Mr. M. T. Cox, the leading member of the West Indian community of Calcutta. Their present strength is thirty-seven members and three officers. Of this number twenty-one turned out; a fine, hardy, and well-made lot. They marched to the parade ground in a business-like manner, and were very attentive. A company such as this intended for pioneer work, though ably officered, needs the support of a sergeant instructor in its public parades till the men are efficient. The early issue of their appointments and the assistance of a sergeant instructor attached especially to the company would greatly enhance its development and usefulness.—*Englishman.*

THE MINERAL RESOURCES OF SOUTHERN INDIA.

A CORRESPONDENT writes to a Madras paper: "It is evident, from a transaction that has just been completed between the Hyderabad Government and an influential English firm, that the mineral resources of this part of India will get another trial, and no doubt no stone will be left unturned in the effort to obtain a return, and if possible a profitable one, for the capital which will be expended. We learn from an article in the *Deccan Times* of the 29th ultimo that the prospects are very good, especially with regard to the coal, and no doubt this alone, if in large quantities, ought to pay very well. Mysore gold mining also, after all its already received, is beginning with its Hindu workings. Besides the Mysore Company's claims, there are others on the Colar field which, if judiciously worked, would give at least as good returns as those now obtained at the above mine; and there are still tracts of land, not only in Mysore, but also in Her Majesty's territory, which teem with gold and other precious metals which, if worked with sufficient capital to enable them to float over their early difficulties, would pay a handsome dividend. The Madras Government has been informed of the districts in H. M.'s territory where large quantities of minerals exist, but which cannot be got at owing to the want of good communications. It has had the offer to open a line from Nellore to Cumbum, which would pass through these districts, but it seems to be u

cheers)—who were often the greatest violators of the law themselves ("Hear," and laughter.) The irresponsible and unfair grand jury system too must be completely swept away. In fine the whole legal structure as at present constituted must be entirely changed and give place to one in which the people could have confidence. (Hear, hear.) There was yet another matter. The long list of Government pensions and sinecures should, in his opinion, be entirely abolished. There was no reason of justice or experience why the people should continue to support a horde of foreign and hostile parasites—(hear, hear)—even though they be nearly related to the Queen, or were members of the highest order of Freemasonry—a swarm of locusts that instead of feeling gratitude to the country that supported and maintained them were always to be found amongst their most bitter foes (Hear, hear.) They must all go (Loud cheers and "Bravo.") In building up the new Constitution the new structure should be of pure materials. They would have none of the politenesses which flourished in the old Irish Parliament, and by its insidious growth sapped the edifice to its foundations, and led to its overthrow. (Cheers.) He now approached the vital and burning question of the hour, on the satisfactory solution of which depended the settlement of all the other questions to which he had alluded, the question which for the last eighty-five years had been foremost in the hearts and minds of all patriotic Irishmen—the question of the restoration of Ireland's legislative independence. (Loud cheers.) For well nigh a century the Irish people had endured the greatest miseries and contumely to which a great country could be exposed. (Hear, hear.) Their masters had treated them alternately with contemptuous condescension and grinding coercion, and by laws enacted by an alien legislature in a foreign land the resources of the country had been kept down with remorseless cruelty. (Hear, hear.) The Irish nation would have no more of this. (Cheers.) They demanded their rights. The conditions under which they were now forced to live were unworthy of a high spirited people. (Loud cheers.) They would submit to that state of things no longer. What they wanted and what, he trusted, they would shortly obtain, was the restoration of the Irish Parliament, by constitutional means if it might be, but at all costs the people were determined to have the native Parliament. (Loud cheers.) In conclusion he thanked them for allowing him to join in fighting the great battle of the cause of Ireland. (Cheers.) They were now approaching the crowning act of their long and bitter struggle. (Hear, hear.) The people of Ireland were firm and steadfast in their determination to have their rights. The whole nation were banded together, presenting one harmonious front, claiming their rights with the million voices of a unanimous people, and with the resistless strength of a firm and irrepressible national will they demanded from England the restoration of their liberties, their "right divine" to live and govern themselves. (Cheers.) Firm and united in their demand the national cause must be triumphant, and Ireland must be free. (Loud and prolonged cheers.)

Mr. T. Daly said he had come there with a strong prejudice against Sir Thomas Esmonde, but never all his prejudices had vanished. He had at last got his ideal landlord, a man who received no rents from his tenants—(laughter)—a man who declared that the system to which he belonged must be destroyed. He followed that up by saying he would have some dead landlords stuffed and put into a national museum, so that the people so long robbed by landlordism should study the physical anatomy of the class. (Laughter and cheers.) Such a man as Sir Thomas Esmonde was a unique spectacle in Ireland. He hoped he would remember that although the people were ever ready to reward those who served them they were also ready to punish those who betrayed them. (Cheers.)

Mr. Healy, M.P, said Sir Thomas Esmonde deserved the great credit for leaving his class and flinging himself into the ranks of the people. For doing that he would be boycotted by society, but he did not think he would care for that.

NOTICES.

KEATING'S BONBONS OR WORMS TABLETS.

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